

## **PSC NEWS**Missouri Public Service Commission

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## PSC APPROVES MISSOURI GAS ENERGY APPLICATION

Jefferson City (November 10, 2004)---The Missouri Public Service Commission has approved an agreement authorizing Missouri Gas Energy (MGE) to provide natural gas service to an area of Christian County near Ozark, Missouri. This would be an expansion of MGE's current certificated area in Christian County.

On October 26, the PSC Staff filed suggestions in support of the agreement. The PSC Staff concluded that granting the application would be in the public interest.

The agreement approved by the Commission was submitted by the PSC Staff, the Office of the Public Counsel, Missouri Gas Energy and the City of Springfield.

Missouri Gas Energy serves approximately 506,400 natural gas customers in Missouri.

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